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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, AUGUST 16, 2001

APPLICATION OF

COOK INLET POWER, LP

CASE NO. PUE010352

For a license to conduct business in the electric retail access programs

AMENDED ORDER FOR NOTICE AND COMMENT

On June 15, 2001, and as supplemented on July 20, 2001, Cook Inlet Power, LP ("Cook" or "Applicant") filed an application for a license to conduct business as an electric competitive service provider ("CSP") in the retail access pilot programs that have been approved by the State Corporation Commission ("Commission"). The Applicant stated that it intended to serve commercial and industrial customers participating in the electric retail access pilot programs of Virginia Electric and Power Company ("Virginia Power"), American Electric Power-Virginia ("AEP-VA"), and Rappahannock Electric Cooperative ("REC").

On July 27, 2001, the Commission issued an Order For Notice and Comment in which we required Cook to provide notice of its

application. Such notice was to be completed on or before August 10, 2001.

On August 9, 2001, Cook filed a motion requesting leave to amend its application and to suspend the procedural schedule contained in our July 27, 2001 Order For Notice and Comment ("Motion"). In support of its Motion, Cook states that it recently became aware that the pilots for AEP-VA and Virginia Power will expire on December 31, 2001, that REC's pilot will continue as a pilot into 2002, and that permanent retail access programs will begin as of January 1, 2002 for Virginia Power, AEP-VA, Allegheny Power, and Delmarva Power & Light Company.

Pursuant to the Rules Governing Retail Access to

Competitive Energy Services ("Retail Access Rules") 20 VAC 5-312

10 et seq, Cook now desires to service the entire state of

Virginia as the individual service territories become open to

full retail access. In addition, Cook seeks authority to

participate in the pilot program for REC as well as any other

pilot program that may be initiated by an electric utility.

NOW UPON CONSIDERATION of Cook's August 9, 2001 Motion, the Commission finds that the Motion should be granted and a new procedural schedule shall be established for consideration of Cook's application, as further supplemented on August 9, 2001.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- (1) Cook's Motion filed August 9, 2001, is granted, and the Commission's Order for Notice and Comment entered in this docket on July 27, 2001, is vacated.
- (2) A copy of Cook's June 15, 2001, application, as supplemented June 20, 2001 and August 9, 2001, and supporting documents shall be available for inspection in the Commission's Document Control Center located on the first floor of the Tyler Building, 1300 East Main Street, Richmond, Virginia, between the hours of 8:15 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on the Commission's regular business days, Monday through Friday.
- (3) On or before August 22, 2001, Cook shall serve a copy of this Order upon each Virginia electric utility listed on Attachment A of this Order.
- (4) Any interested person may request a copy of the application, accompanying materials, and this Order by directing a request in writing to the Applicant, Dawn M. Karolick, Esquire, Mayer, Brown & Platt, 1909 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006-1101. The Applicant shall, within three (3) days of receipt of the request, serve the requested documents upon the person making such request.
- (5) An original and fifteen (15) copies of any comments on the application may be filed by September 6, 2001, with the Clerk, State Corporation Commission, c/o Document Control

- Center, P.O. Box 2118, Richmond, Virginia 23218-2118. Comments must refer to Case No. PUE010352. A copy of such comments also must simultaneously be served by first-class mail, or hand-delivered, to Applicant, Dawn M. Karolick, Esquire, Mayer, Brown & Platt, 1909 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006-1101.
- (6) The Commission Staff shall investigate the application and shall present its findings in a Staff report to be filed on or before September 13, 2001.
- (7) On or before September 20, 2001, the Applicant shall file with the Clerk of the Commission an original and fifteen (15) copies of any response it may have to the Staff report and any comments that have been filed, and shall serve a copy of its response on counsel for the Commission Staff and any person(s) submitting comments by overnight delivery.
- (8) Due to the time-sensitive nature of this proceeding, the Applicant shall respond to written interrogatories or data requests within three (3) business days after the receipt of the same. Interrogatories and data requests, as well as the responses thereto, shall be transmitted via facsimile as well as by first-class mail. Except as modified herein, discovery shall be in accordance with Part VI of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.
 - (9) This matter is continued generally.